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Claims 1-24 stand rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as being unpatentable over Ellis et al.

In response, it is respectfully that the claims recite features neither taught nor suggested by Ellis et al. In particular, such features include "identifying at least one key object in at least one Internet document" as recited in Claims 1 and 13, and "identifying a plurality of key object in at least one Internet document", as recited in Claim 19.

In addressing these features in the above rejection, column 7, lines 25-30, and column 5, lines 25-30, of Ellis et al. are being relied on. However, in column 7, lines 25-30, Ellis et al. only discloses:

"Internet browser application 58 can also use the user input interface resource 66b to support pointing device 30c (FIG. 2). If desired, a message light (one of indicators 44 of FIG. 2) may be turned on by an Internet browser application whichever Internet e-mail is received."

Moreover, in column 5, lines 25-30, Ellis et al. discloses:


"Infrared transmitter 46 may be used to transmit control commands to the infrared receiver in video cassette 26(e.g., to direct video cassette recorder 26 to turn on and to record a television program that the user has selected from the program guide)."

In view of the above disclosure, it is evident that Ellis et al. only discloses selecting a television program from a program guide. In view of this, Ellis et al. cannot be reasonably interpreted as disclosing "identifying at least one key object in at least one Internet document" or "identifying a plurality of key object in at least one Internet document", as required by the claims. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that these features are distinguishable over Ellis et al.

In view of the above-described distinctions, it is respectfully submitted that the invention of Claims 1-24 is not made obvious by Ellis et al. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the above rejection be reconsidered and withdrawn so that the present application may proceed to issue.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any fee (except the issue fee) to Account No. 14-1270.

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